

## DOZEN WOMEN TRIED.

Are Charged With Poisoning Their Husbands.

## AFTER INSURANCE MONEY.

Some of the Prisoners Are Accused of Committing Four or Five Murders—Many Witnesses Summoned to Testify.

Budapest, March 17.—The trial of 12 women and two men was commenced at Hild Mezo-Vasarhely, on Lake Hild. The prisoners are charged with poisoning their husbands or others of their relatives in order to obtain insurance money.

Some of the prisoners are accused of four or five murders. The chief prisoner is a midwife, named Marie Jager, who is charged with supplying the poison with which the murders were committed. About 200 witnesses have been called.

### HANNA'S AGENT.

Hon. S. M. Taylor of Ohio is laboring with Kentucky Senatorship.

Frankfort, March 17.—The seating of the four new Republican senators over the feeble protest of silver Democrats emphasized the fact that there is no possibility of electing Blackburn and little chance of his preventing an election, but everything still tends to the nomination of 50 silver Democrats and 17 gold Democrats who, with the Republicans who may desert Hunter, expect to elect Bradley and make the race for governor that they believe will result in the victory of the state.

With the Gold Democrats is a chance between Republicans, and the race will be for a Republican who is certainly for gold.

The Hunter people, even with the caucus nomination, to Republicans the number required to elect, and two or three gold Democrats leading two and then, would still seem to have reason for confidence, but they are badly scared.

Ex-Secretary of State Taylor of Ohio, who is supposed to be Hanna's agent in Hunter's behalf, stayed over and went to see the governor and accepted the latter's invitation to dine.

The conference amounted to nothing, however, for Bradley declined to let him as the work of his cabinet, the nomination of his name with any such chance.

### No Danger at Yazoo.

Greensville, Miss., March 17.—There is nothing in the river situation in the Yazoo-Mississippi delta to cause alarm. The stage of the river at Greensville is nearly six feet below its high water mark of 1892. The levees are two feet higher and properly safely braced, and no longer in any danger of being overtopped.

### Blackens Not Proclaimed.

Cuba, Island of Cuba, March 17.—The admiral at the Cuban ports have not yet proclaimed the blockade of the island of Cuba as decided upon by the powers. The Greek squadron, with the exception of two vessels, has left Cuban waters, and the two vessels remaining are preparing to leave.

### Powder War Over.

San Francisco, March 17.—The powder war is over. An agreement has been effected between the Atlantic and Pacific coast companies, and the latter will sign their agreement if the program is carried out.

## Our I's and.... Other Eyes.

Our I's are just as strong as they were fifty years ago, when we have cause to use them. But we have less and less cause to praise ourselves, since others do the praising, and we are more than willing for you to see us through other eyes. This is how we look to S. P. Boyce, wholesale and retail druggist, Duluth, Minn., who after a quarter of a century of observation writes:

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## FITZ THE WINNER

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the depot, will be here inside of 10 minutes.

11:50 a. m.—Mrs. Fitzsimmons has just taken a seat in one of the boxes and is greeted with hearty applause. There are quite a number of ladies present in the arena.

11:55 a. m.—One-eyed Connelly made his zig-zag way to the ring amid great uproar. In spite of efforts of two officers he succeeded in making this little speech: "Ladies and Gentlemen—I am here to challenge the winner. I am a little disfigured but still in the ring." Connelly is now on his way to the city calaboose.

11:59 a. m.—Here comes Fitz and the crowd cheers him lustily. He is bareheaded and attired in a Japanese bath robe.

11:59 1/2 a. m.—Here comes Pompadour Jim. He was immediately greeted by wild applause.

12 o'clock m.—Behind Corbett are Chas. White, Delaney, Jeffries, McVey, Joe Corbett, Billy Wood and Al Hampton. In Fitzsimmons' corner are Martin Julian, Emerson Roebber, Stelzner and Hickey. Corbett does a little jig step in his corner. Both men are looking in finest kind of shape.

12:04 p. m.—Madden introduces the referee, and the men proceed to strip. Fitzsimmons looks light, but is a bunch of muscles. Corbett looks easily fifteen pounds heavier. The men are now donning the gloves.

12:07.—Fitz refuses to shake hands. Time called.

First round.—Sparring for an opening. Fitz forlorn Corbett to corner; tries a left swing, which Jim ducks cleverly. Jim smiling, Fitz very aggressive and lands a light one on Corbett's neck. Jim lands a left hook on the stomach, follows with a left hook on Fitz's jaw.

They clinch. Corbett lands right swing on Fitz's ribs. Clinch. Fitz lands left on Jim's head. Jim lands hard right hand on Fitz's short ribs. Clinch, and Fitz lands heavy right hand on Jim's head. Jim says "oh" and laughs. Jim lands his right on Fitz's ribs as going sounds.

Second round.—Corbett advances to center and forces clinch. Jim is very cautious and looking for the slightest opening; land two stiff left swings on Fitz's head. Fitz swings left and right and lands lightly on Corbett's head. The fight is very rapid. Jim lands hard left half jab on Fitz's stomach and follows with another in same place. He is jabbing Fitz hard right and left on the body as the going sounds.

Third round.—Corbett starts right in with that hard left hook on the body. Fitz gets savage and tries his right and left at Corbett's head but does very little damage. Corbett lands another left jab on Bob's wind and follows up with right short on the ribs. Jim clinches. Corbett lands his right hand on heart. Fitz mixes up and puts the heel of his glove in Corbett's face. In the clinch Jim keeps his right working like a piston rod on Fitz's ribs. They clinch and Fitz roughs it in the breakaway. As the going sounds Fitz anxious to continue but Corbett laughingly sticks his right glove in Fitz's face and they go to corners.

Fourth round.—Corbett rushing and lands left again on body. Fitz puts a stiff left on Jim's stomach. They clinch. They are fighting at a terrific rate and putting up a beautiful contest. Fitz rushes and Jim meets him with stiff right hand on stomach. Fitz is doing the rushing and hitting, and roughing it in the breakaway. Corbett is by long odds making the clearest fight. He is playing systematically with right and left on the body, and exchanges left at head as time is called.

### FIRST BLOOD FOR CORBETT.

Fifth round.—Corbett lands his left twice on Fitz's jaw. Fitz's blows have plenty of steam behind them, but are not so frequent as Corbett's. Fitz lands on Jim's neck. Jim throws a stiff half round with left on Fitz's nose, drawing first blood. They mix it and Corbett has the best of it. Corbett lands another stiff right on the body and left on the chin. This round is in favor of Corbett.

Sixth round.—They clinch and Fitz tries to wrestle Corbett down. Loud cries of "Oh! oh!" Corbett lands a light left jab on the face. Fitz counters on the jaw. Corbett upper cuts Fitz fiercely with right and has Fitz clogging. Fitz literally covered with blood but is fighting like a demon. Corbett is showing the signs of his fast work. Fitz is down on one knee and takes time limit. Corbett's leads are a bit wild and he misses many well intended blows, and is putting as time is called.

Seventh round.—Corbett forcing. Fitz misses left swing at head and Corbett upper cuts. Fitz landed again on the face. Fitz is bleeding again but is fighting like a lion. They are both looking for a knock out blow. Jim lands a light left on Fitz's sore mouth. Fitz misses right and left swing. Fitz tries a left swing which is ducked and Jim lands heavy on heart. Corbett very tired. Fitz looks like a stuck bull but is as strong as the other man. Eighth round.—Fitz forcing it. An

exchange of no damage. Fitz misses his left swing and is lifted off his feet by a straight left jab from Corbett on the mark. Fitz is doing all the fighting this round. Fitz tries a right hand cross, but Corbett ducks. Fitz lands on Corbett's face, and Corbett counters with a right on the body. Spars for wind. Fitz tries his hard right on Corbett's head, but is countered heavily on the jaw with Corbett's good left. Fitz had the worst of this round.

Ninth round.—Long range sparring. Both very active on their feet. Fitz lands below the belt, but is cautioned by Stier. Corbett lands stiff left on Fitz's wind. Fitz rushed Corbett, but does very little damage. Jim is jabbing and putting right on the breakaway. Fitz lands a very hard left hand swing on Jim's jaw and tries a right cross, but Jim is inside. Fitz again leads with right cross, but he is short. He is now landing more often than Corbett now.

Tenth round.—Fitz spits blood out of mouth and tries hard left swing on Corbett's head. Fitz comes back with left and right on Jim's head and body. He is very much cooler and stronger than Corbett at this stage. Corbett stops a swing with a straight left on mouth. Fitz is bleeding rapidly but forces Corbett back, apparently being the stronger. They mix it up and hunters are about even. Both are fighting hard. Fitz catches Corbett around the neck and drags him to ropes when time is called. Corbett lands light left on Fitz's mouth. Corbett's blows are lacking in force but he is fighting very cleverly. Eleventh round.—A clinch. Corbett lands his right on the ribs and is countered with left jab on chin. Fitz is going for Corbett generally. Fitzsimmons wins in the eleventh round.

### TOWNSHIP NOMINATIONS.

Strong Tickets Chosen by the Democracy at Their Caucuses.

#### SHAWNEE TOWNSHIP TICKET.

At the Democratic caucus held in Shawnee township the 13th day of March, 1897, the following candidates for township officers were nominated, viz: Paul Weisenmayer, trustee; H. A. DeLong, treasurer; J. B. Chipman, justice of the peace; M. L. Moyer, assessor; John Brown and Frank Keller, constables.

W. F. Blair was recommended by the caucus to the county convention as a delegate to the state convention.

#### SUGAR CREEK TOWNSHIP TICKET.

The Democracy of Sugar Creek township placed in nomination last Saturday the following strong township ticket:

For trustee, J. M. Sheek; for treasurer, Dr. R. E. Jones; for assessor, E. W. Williams; for constables, John Huffer and Edwin M. Davis.

#### ANGLAIZE TOWNSHIP TICKET.

Trustee, Mark Guyton; treasurer, Edward Blair; assessor, east precinct, Henry Patterson; west precinct, W. F. Blair; justice of the peace, O. W. Wiswell; constables, Stephen Dotson and Geo. B. Hefner; road supervisors, 1st district, Thomas Logan; 2d district, John Swener; 3d district, John A. Grubb; 4th district, John Blair, Sr.

#### PERRY'S NOMINATIONS.

The Democracy of Perry township met at the township house Saturday last and nominated the following ticket:

Trustee, D. L. Bidenour; treasurer, T. S. Apple; assessor, Christopher Graham; constable, J. K. Grafton; advisory committeeman, J. A. Jacobs, Sr.; district delegates, L. M. Baker, Christy Ebling.

The movement to elect county delegates was overruled and it was decided to attend the county convention in mass. The following resolution was then adopted: Resolved, That we, the Democrats of Perry township, in convention assembled, endorse the platform adopted at the National Democratic Convention at Chicago, and that we heartily endorse the patriotic actions of Wm. J. Bryan in the presidential campaign of 1896. C. C. Apple, Sec'y.

### OVERRULED.

Was the Motion to Quash the Indictment Against Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Lacy.

Mr. Eastman, attorney for Jane Lacy and Mrs. Wade, who were indicted at the November term of court for stealing and receiving and concealing stolen goods, argued a motion this morning before Judge Richie to quash the indictment. He argued that the indictment was an illegal one in that two causes are included both in the first and second act. He insisted that the two indictments were improperly joined. The indictment held them on the charges of receiving and concealing stolen property.

The property which they are charged with concealing are the brasses which were stolen from the C. H. & D. railroad. The motion was overruled.

Treat's VEILINGS fell out quickly. More new ones here now. See the styles.

### TO-MORROW MORNING

The Remains of Mrs. J. E. Purcell Will be Interred at Gethsemani.

The funeral services of Mrs. Anna May, wife of conductor J. E. Purcell, whose death was announced exclusively in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT, will be conducted by Rev. Father Manning from St. Rose Catholic Church to-morrow morning. The cortege will leave the residence at 8 o'clock and the services will occur at the church at 8:30 o'clock.

The remains will be interred in Gethsemani cemetery.

### DAMAGE SUIT

Against the City Tried Before Justice Atmur.

Guy Curtis, the livery man, commenced a suit in Justice Atmur's court against the city of Lima, to recover damages in the sum of \$65, which he claims due him by reason of one of his horses being driven into a sewer trench on west Spring street and fatally injured.

The case was tried yesterday afternoon and the court reserved its decision until to-morrow morning.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

The Chicago Grain and Provision Market, furnished by Hageman & Randall, room 21, Cincinnati block:

Wheat—May, open, 74 1/2; high, 74 3/4; low, 74 1/4; close, 74 1/2. July, open, 75 1/2; high, 75 3/4; low, 75 1/4; close, 75 1/2. Sept., open, 76 1/2; high, 76 3/4; low, 76 1/4; close, 76 1/2. Corn—May, open, 24 1/2; high, 24 3/4; low, 24 1/4; close, 24 1/2. July, open, 25 1/2; high, 25 3/4; low, 25 1/4; close, 25 1/2. Sept., open, 26 1/2; high, 26 3/4; low, 26 1/4; close, 26 1/2. Oats—May, open, 17 1/2; high, 17 3/4; low, 17 1/4; close, 17 1/2. July, open, 18 1/2; high, 18 3/4; low, 18 1/4; close, 18 1/2. Pork—May, open, 8 1/2; high, 8 3/4; low, 8 1/4; close, 8 1/2. July, open, 8 1/2; high, 8 3/4; low, 8 1/4; close, 8 1/2. Lard—May, open, 24 1/2; high, 24 3/4; low, 24 1/4; close, 24 1/2. July, open, 25 1/2; high, 25 3/4; low, 25 1/4; close, 25 1/2. Sugar—May, open, 11 1/2; high, 11 3/4; low, 11 1/4; close, 11 1/2. July, open, 11 1/2; high, 11 3/4; low, 11 1/4; close, 11 1/2.



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Foreman Charles Long, of the C. & E. yards, was called to Chicago yesterday by a telegram announcing the critical illness of his brother's wife, Mrs. John Long, of that city.

### The Taylor Meetings.

Only six more services at Berean Baptist Church by this strong preacher of the "righteousness which is by faith." Let everybody that can come out to the meetings this week.

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R. Pitcher Woodward, who is under promise to ride from Brooklyn, N. Y., to San Francisco, Cal., on a donkey's back, by reason of William Jennings Bryan's defeat, is due in Lima at 5 o'clock to-day.

Mr. Woodward regrets that he was so foolish as to make such a bet, but prefers to make the trip, if the donkey holds out, to paying the \$5,000 he wagered on Bryan's election. He will lecture at the assembly room to-night under the auspices of the Bi-metallic League.

### DELEGATES

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W. Shrider, Saint Boyd, John N. Hawk, Wm. Kraft, M. M. Boyd, J. R. Watt, Newt Akerman.

#### MARION TOWNSHIP.

Senatorial Delegates—John C. Ford, Joseph Metzger, Wm. Huffer, Henry Motzer.

County Delegates—S. A. Brenne-man, C. J. Pfeiffer, A. J. German, Simon Huffer, John Foust, Leroy Leist, Enos Foust, S. A. Polling, Bernard Wenning, Chas. Fousnaught, Wm. Foust, M. R. Ridenour, D. N. Gengler, W. A. Laman.

#### FIRST WARD, DELPHOS.

Senatorial Delegates—John Bick-er, E. L. Stalkamp.

County Delegates—Frank Fossel, H. L. Leilich, Joseph Reis, A. B. King, Barney Lindeman, F. N. Brickner, Fred Kohlsmith, George Auer.

Central Committeeman—Joseph J. Oramer.

#### SECOND WARD, DELPHOS.

Senatorial Delegates—David E. Baxter, Alex Shenk.

County Delegates—Edward Finckh, Henry Lindemann, John F. Linde-mann, Frank Landeck, Thomas B. Sevlitz, Madison Bryan, Theo. Kemper, John Holtz.

#### MONROE TOWNSHIP.

Senatorial Delegates—C. W. West-bay, L. C. Sigler.

County Delegates—Frank Mason, J. W. Kilgore, Jasper Everett, F. C. Middlestetter, R. H. Hughes, Chas. Bunnell, J. P. Miller, D. W. Slus-ser, Geo. Steurnagle, John H. Keller.

#### PERRY TOWNSHIP.

Senatorial Delegates—L. M. Baker, Chris Ebling.

County delegates were not chosen. The Democracy of Perry township will send a mass delegation to the county convention.

Advisory Committeeman—J. A. Jacobs, Sr.

RICHLAND TOWNSHIP, BEAVER DAM

Senatorial Delegates—George Bow-ers, L. C. Cribblez.

County Delegates—Peter Bowers, Noah Moser, M. G. Bailey, Samuel Shifferly, Jacob Stoner, Park Grant, Frank Ruttinger, I. S. Fackler.

RICHLAND TOWNSHIP, BLUFFTON.

Senatorial Delegates—U. S. Am-stutz, John Hikel, John Amstutz, W. A. Stull.

County Delegates—Ed Benroth, A. L. Conrad, John Fett, N. W. Cunningham, Henry Stauffer, C. D. Am-stutz, Albert Lugibini, Jacob Zin-han, Louis Waltz, Wm. Stettler, Samuel Amstutz, Daniel Lora, K. N. Kraft, John Klay, Henry Rickley, J. R. Dray, William Swager, Aaron Augsburg.

Advisory Committeeman—C. D. Amstutz.

SUGAR CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Senatorial Delegate—Dr. John Da-vis.

County Delegates—John G. Ride-nour, M. H. Ridenour, A. M. Busbey, Geo. W. Williams.

Advisory Committeeman—Edward W. Easlen.

SPENCER TOWNSHIP.

Senatorial Delegates—Ray R. Ken-nedy, H. L. Dunathan, J. A. Wol-ford, Geo. Monroe, Jacob Sunderland

County Delegates—J. W. Stayner, E. H. Carr, Geo. McDonald, E. M. Wein, Frank Harvey, G. Heune, L. M. Place, Henry Richardson, John Hoverman, J. A. Miller, W. A. Mehlis, C. E. Menzle, T. E. Hance, James Sunderland, Frank Schosker, Jacob Book, Bert Berryman, Thos. Young-peter, Elijah Purdy.

SHAWNEE TOWNSHIP.

Senatorial Delegates—Wm. Rusler, T. A. Stepleton.

County Delegates—C. W. Burk-hardt, Ben Bowsher, Elias Bowsher, Jr., Geo. Rhodes, Wm. Mowery, Beach Graham, M. N. Beatty, J. A. Umbaugh.

Alternates to County Convention—H. A. Dejong, Paul Wiesenmeyer, Stephen Cahill, J. H. Myers, F. G. Curtis, M. Ridenour, Joseph Sellers.

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### NOMINATIONS AT DELPHOS.

#### The Democrats in Our Sister City Put Up a Strong Ticket.

At the Democratic city caucus at Delphos last night Dr. C. C. Bliss was nominated for water works trustee, E. F. Lloyd for cemetery trustee, and postmaster Thos. A. Weger and W. F. Mills for members of the board of education. At the township conventions mayor D. E. Baxter, Sr., of Marion township, and F. A. Wagh, of Washington township, were nominated for justice of the peace. The convention heartily endorsed Bryan and free silver.

### BUSINESS MEN AND CLERKS

#### Play Basket Ball at Y. M. C. A. Next Monday.

Next Monday evening at 8:30, a revival of the clerks' and business men's representative teams. Last year at about this time the above teams played a series of games never to be forgotten, which resulted in favor of the business men.

Of course the clerks, with Harry Allen captain, expect to do wonders. Mr. Kent Hughes will captain the business men's team. The greatest basket ball event of the season. Admission free charged.

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#### Notice.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the U. B. Church will meet at the home of Sister Effie Ballard, No. 1018 east North street, Thursday, March 18th, for all day work. It is requested that all sisters prepare their lunch in a box. Let all members be present. Everybody welcome. SECRETARY.

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#### Lenten Service

at Zion's Evangelical Lutheran Church, on north Union street, next Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. This service will be continued throughout the entire season of Lent. All are welcome. F. W. ROHLFING, Pastor.

#### A Good Bargain

In a Cream Table Damask Seventy-two inch cream table Damask, worth 75c per yard, and our price to-morrow will be 58c per yard. This is a special good bargain for a few days only. G. E. BLUM,

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### How to Treat a Wound.

Three useful things to have in a farmer's home as a provision in case of wounds are: a reliable remedy to neutralize the cutting action of the medical attendant; a supply of adhesive plaster; some iodine gauze, and a package of carbolic acid or salicylic cotton. Cleanse and dry as nearly as may be the cut surface with a swab of the cotton, using moderate pressure and elevating the part if necessary to check the flow of blood. Do not apply any water. Bring the cut surface together as accurately as possible and retain them there with as few and as narrow strips of the plaster as will suffice, cutting them of a good length. Then cover the wound with a dozen or so thicknesses of the iodine gauze, which should extend an inch beyond the wound. Over the gauze apply a liberal layer of the absorbent cotton, allowing it to extend beyond the gauze. The cotton may be kept in place by a bandage of elastic cloth, or a leg of a stocking may be drawn over it. Moderate pressure, if evenly distributed, is helpful. The pressure of a string is hurtful. Keep the part moderately elevated and take care that there is no constriction of the limb above the wound by a garter. —Exchange.

### Goodwin and the Duke.

One evening after the performance of Nat C. Goodwin went to a restaurant for a late "bite." At the table adjoining the one where the actor sat with a couple of friends was a small group of first row youths. One of these young men had met Nat Goodwin somewhere for a minute. He wanted to show to his friends that he was acquainted with a real actor. Accordingly he brought up some topic relating to theatrical matters and made a statement which some other prominent citizen, Jr., disputed. "Well, now, I'll leave it to Goodwin," said the young man who had met Nat Goodwin—somewhere, for a minute. So he turned around and called out rather loudly: "Oh, Goodwin! I say, Goodwin, come over here a minute, will you?" The actor was startled for a moment, and then he arose. He took hold of the back of his chair, and, with all the artistic dignity at his command, he said, looking coldly at the young man, "Call me either Nat or Mr. Goodwin, if you please." Then he seated himself. —San Francisco Argonaut.

### Truth in a Nutshell.

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### He Explained His Absence.

"Why weren't you at the banquet last night? We had a great time." "Huh! A dress suit." "What has become of the one you used to have?" "The fact is I never had one. A fellow who lived out at Short Hills, where I did, used to lend me his." "And he was using it?" "Well, yes. The son of a gun died about a month ago, and they buried him in it. I wanted awfully to be with you, but I didn't think it would look well in I dug him up." —Truth.

### Avoid An Early Grave.

How often do we hear, that the avenue to an early grave was opened by neglecting a slight cough and cold. Profit by this truth, and provide yourself with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which instantly cures all throat and lung affections. Mr. W. H. Mahoney, Lowell, Mass., writes: "I was taken sick with a bad cold. The doctors did not seem to help me, and everybody said I was getting consumption, when a relative recommended Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. I got a bottle and it helped me, and after taking two bottles I was cured, to the surprise of everybody. I shall always recommend it to my friends, as I know it to be a sure cure." Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is sold everywhere for 25 cents. Don't accept a substitute.

### Pneumonia Cured.

Mrs. A. J. Lawrence, of Beaver, Pa., says: "Brazilian Balm brought me out of a severe attack of pneumonia in splendid shape. It is a wonderful remedy for cough and lung troubles. Also, for external use, for burns, cold-sores, and chapped hands and face, it cures like magic. It is invaluable in the family."

### THE NEXT SENATE.

How It Will Probably Stand as Regards Tariff and Finance.

It is worth noting, that, as the senate is likely to meet with a majority in which the republicans are in the majority, the republicans will have a majority in the senate. The republicans will have a majority in the senate. The republicans will have a majority in the senate.

On the question of the free coinage of silver, standing alone and not brought forward to interfere with a tariff bill or any other republican project, it is believed the republican forces will consist of the following: Forty of the 44 straight republicans and the 6 anti-silver democrats, dividing the senate as to silver on substantially these lines:

Against free coinage of silver, 40; for free coinage of silver, 44.

If the republicans gain possession of the organization of the senate, as they are pretty sure to do before the regular session of congress, it will be found exceedingly difficult to get a free coinage bill before the senate, except as a rider to some important measure, which will give the moderate silver republicans an opportunity to vote with their party and against an effort to pass a needless and ineffective silver proclamation. —Walter Wellman in Chicago Times-Herald.

### LINCOLN AND BLONDIN.

The Great President's Apt Reply to a Delegation of Politicians.

The death of Blondin, the tight rope walker, closed a career that was sensational during 65 of its 70 years, and although his daring feat at Niagara was the one with which his name was always associated in this country it was by no means his most difficult exhibition. Apparently the only line to his sensational feats on a rope was fixed by public opinion, and more than one offer was made to restrain him. He inspired more political cartoons in this country during the time that he was conspicuous here than any other man not a politician. Abraham Lincoln once gave a very pointed answer to a denunciation that waited on him for the purpose of pointing out the shortcomings of his administration when he said:

"Gentlemen, suppose all the property you were worth was in gold, and you had to put it into the hands of Blondin to carry across Niagara falls on a rope, would you shake the cable or keep shooting out to him? Blondin, stand up a little straighter! Blondin, stoop a little more; go a little faster; lean more to the south! No, you would hold your breath as well as your tongue and keep your hands off until he was safe over."

Blondin was the hero of the hour after his sensational feat at Niagara, and when he appeared in this city champion prizefighter was ever followed by such crowds. —New York Sun.

### FRENCH ARMY AND NAVY.

England's Traditional Enemy Not Behind Her in Armament.

The French navy ranks next to that of England in numbers, while in efficiency and fighting qualities the French ships are really equal to their English rivals. In fact, in naval matters the French navy took the lead, and many of the English types of ships were modeled after the French designs, says The Chautauquan. One of the chief differences between the English and the French armored ships today is in the disposition of the armor and the consequent design of the hull. English designers have striven to protect the men working the guns, and to do this they have reduced the length of the ship's armor. French and naval architects, on the other hand, have given little attention to the protection of men and a great deal to the protection of the water line. Therefore they have reduced the breadth of the ship's armor.

It is worthy of note that France is the only great power which levies a tax on such of her citizens as either do not enlist in the standing army or who enlist for a shorter term than three years. Only those who are officially declared "impunguous" are exempt from such a tax. It is payable annually as long as the liability to service lasts, and the revenue from this source amounts to about 30,000,000 francs, or \$6,000,000, annually.

The officers of the French army receive a very thorough education at the different military schools. At the head of these (although not exclusively military) stands the Polytechnic school in Paris, which admits 150 pupils annually after a competitive examination. The course occupies nine months in the year for two years.

As it is impossible to keep under review for three years the entire military curriculum of officers, we have given up the discharge of the military and civil at the end of the first year and have of active service in such position as to bring down the power strength of the army to the number immediately mentioned upon by the general command. —Pratt's Review in this country.

For the purpose of every recruit at his own private charges, and only the best having the highest numbers are entitled to consideration.

### The Pace of Beards.

When we were children we were taught that it was not decent to come to dinner with a beard, and that it was not as expensive as it had to get now as they were a quarter of a century ago, but all the same, they are too valuable to waste on a beard.

Children should be taught to take care of their faces and not to be permitted to come to dinner with a beard or hair on their faces. They

should be encouraged to accumulate a beard, and to keep it in good shape. —New York Herald.

There are a great many things to be learned from the life of a man. A man who is not so healthy is a weakling. It is a well known fact that a man who is not so healthy is a weakling. It is a well known fact that a man who is not so healthy is a weakling.

### Some French Duels.

The most preside, the most honorable, of all eminent French statesmen and historians, the late M. Adolphe Thiers, fought a duel when a young man with the late father of a pretty girl whom Thiers, while anxious to marry, did not wed, because he was too poor to support her. Shots were exchanged without result, and the combatants withdrew. The famous journalist and litterateur M. Emile de Girardin, editor of Le Presse, fought four duels in 1844 with the editors of other Parisian journals. Loquace, the annual subscription of French daily newspapers being at that time at a franc, he had a duel with the editor of Le Presse by one-half with the price of the circulation of his paper was considerably increased. In the last of these duels he had the misfortune to kill Armand Carrel, a man of talent and a popular journalist, who was shot in the hip, and long lay on his bed and died in a few days. —New York Magazine.

### The Gentleman Farmer of the South.

While the material development of the south in the past 20 years has been almost startling, it would nevertheless be rash to assume that the economic character of her people has been entirely transformed. Slavery no longer exists, and labor is no longer considered disgraceful, but the negro, though politically free, is still socially and economically servile and still affects his white employer disastrously in many ways. With the growth of towns, an artisan and a middle class have been developed, and the former aristocracy of birth and wealth has given way to one of wealth only, but in the country the well to do middle class farmer is the exception; the gentleman planter and "poor white" squatters cumber and choke the ground.

Want of thrift and intelligent foresight and an inherited instinct of laissez faire are to be observed in every rural community—normally in tide water and remote mountain regions, less commonly in such favored spots as the valley of Virginia. In cotton growing localities the factor or commission merchant plays a part fully as important as he did before the war and practically holds both planter and plantation in his grasp. With the factor on one hand and the lazy negroes with whom he works on shares on the other, it is no wonder that the lot of the gentleman farmer is continually growing worse or that his sons seek urban employment whenever they can. —W. P. Trent in Atlantic.

### Election of United States Senators.

In his paper on "The Country of Ours" in The Ladies' Home Journal ex-President Harrison writes of congress and tells how United States senators are elected. "The law of 1866," he says, "provides that the legislature chosen next before the expiration of the term of a senator shall choose his successor, and that it shall proceed to do so on the second Tuesday after it assembles. On that day each house of the legislature must vote separately, viva voce, for a senator, and enter the result on its journal; the two houses must at 12 m. the next day meet in joint session, and if it appears that the same person has received a majority of the votes in each house he is declared elected. If there has been no election, the joint assembly must take a vote, and if any one receives a majority of the votes, a majority of all the members elected to both houses being present and voting, he is to be declared elected. If there is no election, the joint assembly proceeds with the balloting and must meet every day at 12 m. and take at least one ballot each day until a senator is elected. The governor of the state is required to certify the election under the seal of the state to the president of the senate, the certificate to be countersigned by the secretary of state of the state."



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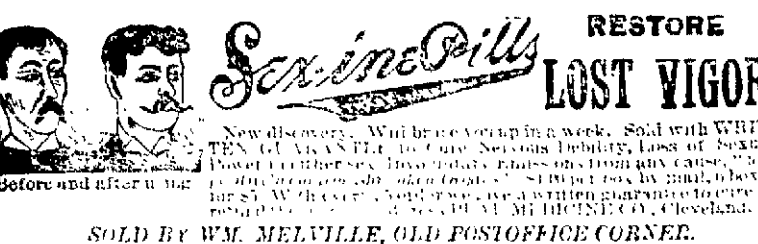
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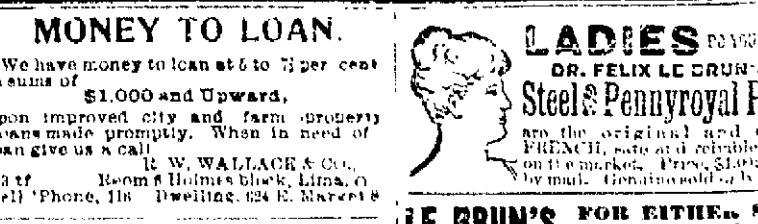
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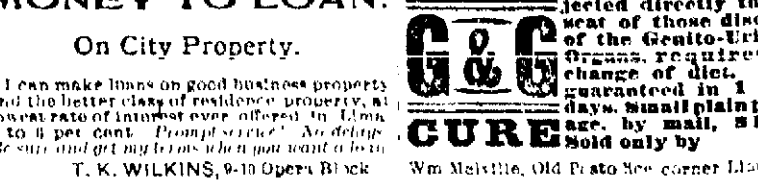
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## TALES OF THE TOWN

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J. F. Snodgrass and Susie Snyder were granted a marriage license this morning.

Born—to Mr and Mrs. Joseph Saltnine, of 711 south Metcalf street—a daughter.

The meeting at West Lima Mission Church is increasing in interest and a great revival is looked for.

Miss Martha Wilcox and daughter, Miss Vina, of Dunkirk, are new patients at the Myers hospital, receiving treatment from Dr. F. G. Stueber, the eye specialist.

The entertainment to be given in the opera house this evening by the children of St. Rose school, promises to be a great success. Nearly every seat in the house has been taken.

Fireman Fred Smith, of the C. & H. A. D. is the proudest man on the road and he has reason to be, for a charming little daughter has arrived to bless his home on north Jackson street.

John Harrick, driver for Newsom, Daak & Co. who underwent an operation at the Myers hospital a few weeks ago, under the surgery of Dr. Bee of this city, and Dr. Schrader, of Hope Hospital, Fort Wayne, is rapidly recovering.

A very pleasant surprise was given Miss Nora Atmure Tuesday evening at her home on Tingle avenue, in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was most enjoyably spent in cards and music, after which an elegant repast was served.

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## JIM WINS FIRST BLOOD

In the Fifth Round and Jim hits on Mike Kase in the Seventh, but the Corbett-Kase fight and Pompa don't show a Hay been

The prospects of news from the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill brought out the local sports early after the noon hour to day, and at the Elk, where proprietor Ackerman had a wire and telegraph instrument connected and a competent operator in charge, standing room was down to inches long before bulletins began to arrive. Before returns, betting became quite lively.

The big fight was scheduled to begin as soon as possible after 10 o'clock at Carson City, which would be about 12 o'clock local time. The first message from the scene of the prospective battle this morning announced that the weather and all other conditions were unusually favorable. The first bulletins began to arrive here about 2 o'clock this afternoon, and the following were those of great interest received.

CARSON CITY, NEV., March 17.—10 40 a. m.—All the notable sports of the continent are gathered together to see the battle of the century. John L. Sullivan has just appeared resplendent in a shining silk tulle. The noblest roman of them all is greeted with tumult cheering. Here comes the Caesar of the day, George Siler, upon the turning of whose thumb depends the fate of the modern gladiators. It is stated that Corbett and Fitz will be in the ring before 11 or 11 30 a. m.

11 a. m.—Billy Madden announces from the ring that after the Corbett-Fitzsimmons 'go' the arena will be cleared, and at 3 o'clock the double event—Green vs. Smith and Maherty vs. Hawkins—will take place.

Governor Sadler, "the fighting governor of Nevada," has just entered his box. Loud applause. Al Houseman is being called on for a few remarks, but briefly says "cheer up."

The crowd persistently yell for "Sullivan, Sullivan." But John L. merely raises that sleek hat "Jemmy" Wakely and Al Smith are said to strongly favor Corbett's chances.

11 30 a. m.—The crowd from the last special, which has just arrived at

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## AT NINE O'CLOCK

Last Evening Mrs. Susan Baker Died at an Advanced Age

Had Been Ill Five Months—Death Resulted from a Cancer—Funeral Friday

Mrs. Susan Baker, wife of William H. Baker, of 223 west Vine street, died at 9 o'clock last evening, her death resulting from a cancer, from which she had suffered an illness of five months duration.

The deceased was born in Franklin county, Pa., May 6th, 1834, and was in her sixty-third year. Her husband, William H. Baker, and one son, William M. Baker, survive her. The funeral services will be held from the residence at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, and the remains will be interred in Woodlawn cemetery. The services will be conducted by Rev. Swanson, of the Congregational church, who will be assisted by Rev. Miller.

## GO FREE

Archie Williams and Daniel Kier Acquitted of Attempted Burglary.

Archie Williams and Daniel Kier, who were on trial yesterday, charged with having attempted to burglarize the Keville grocery, located on the corner of Union and Wayne streets, were acquitted last evening.

The jury was out only a short time when they returned a verdict which allowed the prisoners to go free. The verdict was a surprise to all who were in any way connected with the case or who heard the evidence.

## AGAINST GEO. P. WALDORF.

The Ex-Congressman an Applicant for the Internal Revenue Collectorship Here

Ex-Congressman F. B. DeWitt, of Paulding, Ohio, yesterday filed application for the position of internal revenue collector at Toledo. This is the place which is also sought by George P. Waldorf, of Toledo, whose application for the position was filed with the Secretary of the Treasury last week.

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## Attention, Sir Knights

All members of Lima Tent 142, K. O. T. M., are requested to attend regular meeting this evening at 7 30. Business of importance.

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## DELEGATES

(Chosen in the Precincts Outside of Lima.)

## ALL STRONG DELEGATIONS

Which will Represent the Democracy in the Various County and District Conventions to be Held During This Year

The city of Delphos last night chose her delegates to the county and district conventions to be held during the year. This completes the selection of the representatives of the Democracy, who will have the responsible duty of selecting our county and district tickets during this year.

The list published below includes the entire county outside of Lima, which was published Monday, with the exception of Amanda township, whose returns have not yet been made.

**AUGLAIZE TOWNSHIP, EAST PRECINCT**  
Senatorial Delegate—J. A. Grubb  
County Delegates—W. H. Leatherman, G. M. Baker, W. J. Bodell, M. Leatherman, F. M. Blair  
Advisory Committeeman—G. M. Baker.

**AUGLAIZE TOWNSHIP, WEST PRECINCT**  
Senatorial Delegate—J. I. Baker  
County Delegates—W. F. Blair, J. I. Baker, N. Biddinger, Chas. Heister  
Advisory Committeeman—A. M. Harrod

**PATH TOWNSHIP**  
Senatorial Delegates—D. E. Baxter, Jacob Staver  
County Delegates—F. Edgecomb, George Fetter, Amos Heister, Isaac Roush, C. H. Baxter, Val Stoner, I. C. Stoner, Samuel Boose

**GERMAN TOWNSHIP**  
Senatorial Delegate—A. J. Stevick  
County Delegates—Alfred East, N. Pfeiffer, Frank Fraunfelder, Ed McBride, T. B. Bowcock, Oda Fraunfelder.

**ELIDA SPECIAL**  
Senatorial Delegate—S. D. Crites  
County Delegates—E. S. Crites, E. F. Miller, W. N. Snerry, J. D. Crites.

**JACKSON TOWNSHIP**  
Senatorial Delegates—John Akerman, Wm. Watt, C. A. Graham  
County Delegates—W. H. Watt, J. W. Watt, C. J. Seritz, E. Fisher, Geo.

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## COLORED MAN

From Paulding Being Tried To-day on a Charge of Forgery

The court room is crowded to day with a large number of citizens from Paulding county. They are here in the interest of Martin Manuel, a colored man, who is being tried on the charge of forging and of passing a forged check upon the Commercial Bank at Delphos. The check called for \$25. The defendant sets up the plea that he did not forge it, as he is unable to either read or write. The fight, however, will be made on his passing the forged instrument. Most of the witnesses for the defense are colored people from Paulding county. The case will be an expensive and will not be finished before tomorrow or the next day.

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